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Comments: My biggest concern with the Foothills Landscape project is the pesticide applications on over 70,000 acres. Some limited applications may be necessary and understandable but the sheer amount of Forest that will be treated with chemicals under the Foothills plan is disturbing and shocking to me! I do not support this plan to allow these chemicals into our forests for the next 15 to 20 years despite the growing scientific evidence of pesticide and herbicide effects on people and wildlife. Please keep the public informed on exactly where and how these chemicals will be applied BEFORE they are approved, and allow alternative methods to be proposed and implemented when feasible.

The amount of forest you are choosing to cut down is an alarming number. Our forest ecosystems are at risk. Trees clean the air from pathogens as well, and less tree aerosols could mean health risks for the public and is an issue of nations security.